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ENTITLED: **PARALLEL PIPELINE GRAPHICS SYSTEM**

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(X) This application claims priority to U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/429,976, filed 11/27/2002.

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		Attorney Docket Number	7057-0037

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